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Koji KAWAI et al.)	Group Art Unit: 1713
Application No.: 09/857,687)	Examiner: Roberto Rabago
Filed: June 8, 2001)	Confirmation No.: 6447
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METALLOCENE COMPOUND, OLEFIN)	
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REQUEST TO COMPLETE NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In reviewing the application identified above upon allowance, the undersigned has noted:

The Form PTO-1449 submitted with the Information Disclosure Statement(s) filed March 14, 2002, contained a typographical error: document JP 05059077 was inadvertently listed as EP 0 505 9077. A correct copy of JP 05059077 with an English-language Abstract was filed at that time and is available on the Image File Wrapper of the PTO website for U.S. Serial No. 09/857,687 (Foreign Reference Filed 3/14/02, 10 pages).

In response to the Examiner's statement that a copy of EP-0-505-9077 had not been provided (Office Action mailed 07/11/2003, paragraph 3), Applicants in the Amendment filed December 11, 2003, explained the error, provided another copy of JP 05059077, and asked that the document be made of record (page 19). In the Final Rejection mailed 03/05/2004, the Examiner indicated that the Japanese document should be cited on a form 1449 in order to be considered and made of record (paragraph 1).

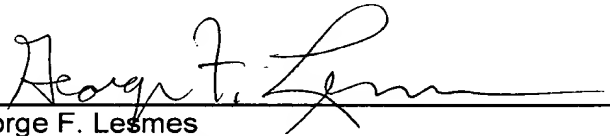
Applicants inadvertently failed to submit a PTO Form 1449 listing the Japanese document. However, Applicants believe that the Japanese document filed March 14, 2002, was considered by the Examiner along with all other document filed with the Information Disclosure Statement even though incorrectly listed on the PTO-1449 form.

Accordingly, a PTO-1449 Form is attached which correctly listed the Japanese document. Applicants respectfully request that an Examiner-initialed copy of the 1449 Form be returned to them in order to complete the record.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date Considered

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